

# 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter May 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019

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**Reconciliation/confession** is available every Saturday 11 am-noon at St. Ambrose Co-Cathedral.

#### MASS INTENTIONS - May 25 - June 2, 2019

Sat. 4pm Gary Muise and The Doucette Family 6pm (Melbourne) Hilda & Alfred Harris

Sun. 9am Anniv. Ernie & Madeline Landry and Kirk Hanf

11:15am Parishioners

Mon. No Mass

**Tues. 6:30pm** Anita Deveau **and** Victor Amirault

ed. 6:30pm Special Intentions and William "Billy" Robicheau

**Thur. 9am** Robert Malcolm **and** Anniv. Philip Trefry

Fri. 9am Special Intentions and Fred Bourque
Sat. 4pm Anniv. Frank DeViller and Special Intentions

6pm (Melbourne) Laurel Brannen

**Sun. 9am** Parishioners

**11:15am** Brian MacKenzie **and** Intentions of Adeline Cook

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BRING UP THE GIFTS** in the offertory procession at a weekend Mass (if you are a family member of the person the Mass is for) please see the greeters at least 20 minutes before Mass begins.

*Please note:* The weekday Mass will be cancelled in the event of a funeral Mass. The Mass intention scheduled for that day will be offered at a later date.

**COFFEE SOCIAL:** The coffee socials will be held this weekend after the 4pm and 9 am Masses.

FOOD BANK: Next weekend, June 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>, is our turn to support the Yarmouth Food Bank. Non-perishable goods and monetary donations are appreciated.

### **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS:**



**50th Anniversary of St. Monica's Council**: June 4 - Middleton **Nova Scotia Provincial Convention**:
June 7, 8, 9 – Amherst

**QUILTS OF MANY COLORS SHOW:** St. Ambrose



Co-Cathedral, May 26, 2:00 - 6:00 pm. Admission \$5.00 - lap quilt door prize, tickets on a quilt and refreshments (sweets, tea,coffee). Over 100 new and

heritage quilts. A place to purchase the perfect gift for the perfect person.

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS:**

Formation (Second) Degree Exemplification: Sunday, May 26 at 3 pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Members are encouraged to attend.

**Monthly Meeting:** Tuesday June 11<sup>th</sup>, all



members invited 5:30pm executive meeting

6:30pm supper

7:30pm general meeting

**Assembly 1428 meeting:** Tuesday June 18<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. All members invited.

Weekly soup kitchen will close for the summer

MAY PROCESSION: Everyone is invited to come



out and join us to honour Our Blessed Mother, Thursday May 30 at 6:30pm in the church. The May Procession is an initiative of the Catholic Women's League and the Knight's of Columbus.

#### 7 DATE NIGHTS: Couples Enrichment Seminars -



Welcome to our second program of couples enrichment...

<u>When:</u> 7 Fridays – **May 31 to July 12**, 2019.

Where: Jubilee Room, St. Ambrose, Yarmouth. Let us reserve a table for two. For more information and to reserve a table please contact Neil and Janice Bourgue 902-740-5156.

May 31<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> at St. Vincent de Paul Church, 320 Flying Cloud Drive, ColeHarbour, Dartmouth, NS. To learn more about the Atlantic Marian Gathering, please visit

<u>www.mariangathering.ca</u>. or you can pick up a pamphlet at the entrance of the church.

Wednesday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 at St Ambrose Church. There will be prayer teams and I (Fr. Henry) will be blessing people with Holy Oil of St. Joseph from St. Joseph's



Our sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Catherine Letha Muise.

Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her.

### SPRING CHURCH CLEANING: Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>



Oratory in Montreal.

after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please bring a bucket, cloth, swifter duster and a small knife to scrape gum from under the pews. Both men and women are needed

to help. Bring smiles and chuckles!

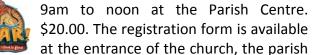
## CATHOLIC SUMMER CAMP: August 11<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> at



Johnston Christian Park, South Range, Digby County. \$200.00 early bird fee if registered by June 28<sup>th</sup>. After June 28<sup>th</sup>, the registration will be \$225.00.

You can get a registration form at the entrance of the church, the parish office or on the website.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: July 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> from



office and on the website.

Chances for Children

sponsorship opportunity: Every summer, we run a Summer Camp and a Vacation

Bible School for the youth. Some of the youth struggle to find financial resources to participate in these activities. If you are able and would like to make a contribution to help send a youth to VBS or camp, please submit your donation into the collection at Mass (with pertinent information) or stop by the parish office. Please mark for which activity you are sponsoring.

**CURSILLO LOBSTER SUPPER:** Sunday, **June 2**nd at



the Knights of Columbus Hall. Entertainment and punch from 4:30-5:30pm and supper will be served

at 5:30pm. Tickets are \$15.00. Please call Midge at 902-742-4475 or Corinne at 902-881-2665. All are welcome!

**END OF LIFE PLANNING**: What can I expect from a



funeral home? Are there cost savings? Do I need a will? Who makes decisions for me if I am too sick to speak for myself? What are the duties of a

power of attorney and a substitute decision maker? How do I handle my grief? My family's grief? Please join us **Saturday**, **June 8**<sup>th</sup> from 9:30-12:30 at Marian Hall, 65 Green Street. Facilitators, Bruce Muise, Huskilsons Funeral Home, and Bertha Brannen, Grief Recovery Specialist. No Cost. Light refreshments. Register by calling 902-740-2146 or email <a href="mailto:info@rubyconsultants.ca">info@rubyconsultants.ca</a>

<u>D-DAY</u> and the battle of Normandy, France, June 6,



1944, remembered 75 years after. The public is invited to a ceremony at the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 155 Hall, Wedgeport NS, **Thursday June 6**,

at 10:50am to remember the three soldiers from Our Lady of Lourdes Parish who died in the Battle of Normandy. Reception to follow. Surette, Arthur John, *Pinkney's Point* 

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**QUOTE OF THE WEEK:** "It is Jesus that you seek when you dream of happiness. He is



waiting for you when nothing else you find satisfies you." -St. John Paul II